## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :		Daniel J. Martin
Application No.	:	10/672,303
Filed	:	September 26, 2003
Title	:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DETERMINING NETWORK CHARACTERISTICS USING ROUTING PROTOCOLS
Examiner	:	Brenda H. Pham
Art Unit	:	2616
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450		

## **RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 4, 2007, please reconsider the above

identified application in light of the following:

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Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.